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I am not in favor of this settlement it gives Microsoft more power rather than less power. By letting them dictate their own terms in this settlement. It's not even a slap on the wrist. It gives them a means of getting their software into the hands of the next generation at almost no cost to Microsoft. It results in what is nothing more than free advertising for them. their proposed value of their software is way understated. There are some development costs but turning out copies of software is relatively cheap. I would be surprised to find their actual costs to be more than One Million dollars, not even close to Five Hundred Million. Break them up! Fine Gates 5 billion and put him in prison for a few years to think about what he has done wrong.
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